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The Humble
A D D R E S S
Of the Right Honourable the
Lords Spiritual and Temporal,
In Parliament Assembled,
PRESENTED TO
H I S M A J E S T Y,
On *Friday the Ninth Day of December, 1720.*

WITH
His Majesties
MOST GRACIOUS
A N S W E R.

L O N D O N,

Printed by *John Baskett*, Printer to the Kings most Excellent Majesty, And by the Assigns of *Thomas Newcomb*, and *Henry Hills*, deceas'd. 1720.

Die Veneris 9 Decembris, 1720.

Ordered by the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament Assembled, That the Address of this House, presented to His Majesty, and His Majesties most Gracious Answer, be forthwith Printed and Published.

W^m Cowper,
Cler' Parliamentor'

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Most Gracious Sovereign,



E Your Majesties most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament Assembled, beg Leave to return Your Majesty the Thanks of this House for Your most Gracious Speech from the Throne, and to congratulate

Your Majesty upon the near Prospect of a General Peace being establish'd throughout *Europe*: And we do acknowledge, with the greatest Gratitude, Your Majesties Care and Endeavours for the Security and Support of the Protestant Religion; towards the Attaining which great Ends Your Majesty may depend upon our utmost Support and Assistance.

We cannot sufficiently express to Your Majesty, how much we are concern'd at the present Unhappy State of Publick Credit: And we do, upon this Occasion, assure Your Majesty of our Zealous and Ready Concurrence in all such Methods as shall be most effectual and speedy to restore it, and fix it upon a Lasting Foundation; and also in all other Measures that may tend to the Securing and Enlarging the Commerce of these Kingdoms.

His MAJESTIES most Gracious ANSWER.

My LORDS,

I Thank you for this Dutiful and Loyal Address: And I perswade My Self, that your Zeal for the Good of your Country, your Temper, Wisdom, and Unanimity, will greatly contribute towards Extricating Us out of Our present Difficulties.

F I N I S.

